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TAGS: PFOR EEC UN WHO KN

SUBJECT: NORTH KOREAN APPLICATION FOR WHO MEMBERSHIP

REFERENCE COPENHAGEN 0695

1. ON APRIL 6 WE DISCUSSED ITALIAN ATTITUDE TOWARD NORTH KOREAN
APPLICATION FOR WHO MEMBERSHIP WITH RESPONSIBLE FOREIGN MINISTRY
OFFICIAL. HE CONFIRMED THAT ITALY IS NOT RPT NOT IN FAVOR OF
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ADMISSION OF DPRK AT MAY WHO MEETING. OFFICIAL SAID ITALIAN POSITION BASED PRIMARILY ON GENERAL GOI VIEW THAT IT OPPOSES MEMBERSHIP IN UN SPECIALIZED AGENCIES FOR COUNTRIES WITH WHOM ITALY HAS NO DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

2. OFFICIAL INDICATED THAT ITALIANS PREFER TO SEE RESOLUTION WHICH WILL POSTPONE DISCUSSION OF NORTH KOREAN MEMBERSHIP, RATHER THAN DIRECT REJECTION OF DPRK APPLICATION. HE EXPRESSED OPINION THAT RELATIONS BETWEEN EC COUNTRIES AND DPRK COULD DEVELOP DURING THIS YEAR, AND THEN POSITION ABOUT WHO MEMBERSHIP WOULD BE REVIEWED.
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